

## Overview of Aerospace Manufacturing Ecosystem

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## **Overview of Aerospace Manufacturing Ecosystem**

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To provide an introduction of the aerospace manufacturing ecosystem, visibility of opportunities and trends in the industry



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## Importance of Canadian Aerospace

A Pillar of Innovation and Economic Growth

Economic Contribution Technological Advancement Research & Development Defense & Security Global Competitiveness



#### **Canadian Aerospace Landscape**



#### Components of the Aerospace Manufacturing Ecosystem

#### **Suppliers**

Provide components, materials, system, and/or services required for manufacturing to support production & MRO requirements

• *Examples:* Engine manufacturers, avionics suppliers, composite material suppliers

#### Manufacturers

Design, develop, and produce aircraft, end-to-end from initial design and engineering to manufacturing and final assembly

• *Examples*: Bombardier, Bell Helicopter

#### Operators

Individual or company that operates or manages aircraft; responsible for activities such as flight planning, scheduling, maintenance oversight, crew management

*Examples*: Air Canada, WestJet, Porter Airlines, NetJets

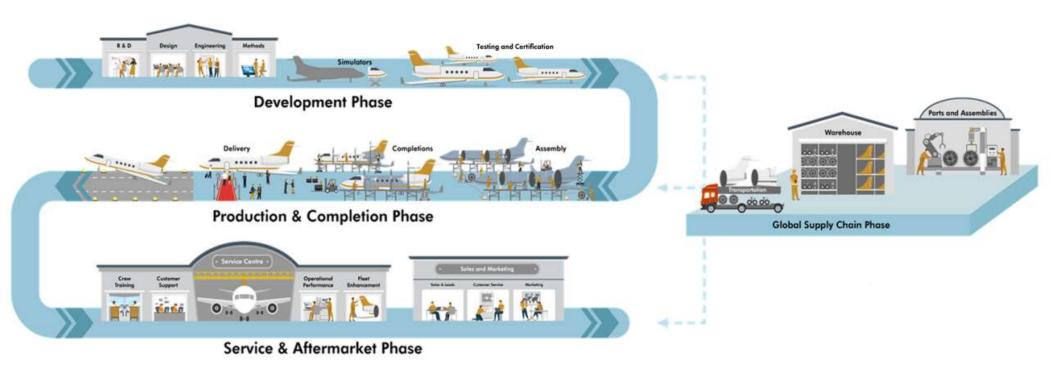
#### Maintenance, Repair, & Overhaul (MRO)

Activities involved in maintaining, repairing, and overhauling aircraft, engines, and related components to ensure safety, reliability, and longevity

• *Examples*: MRO facilities, independent service providers, airline maintenance divisions

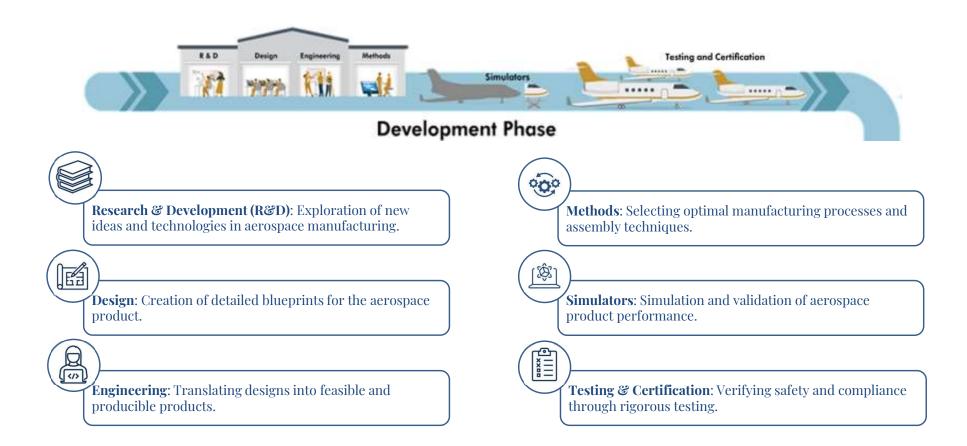


#### **Phases of the Aerospace Ecosystem**





#### **Aerospace Ecosystem: Development**





## **Aerospace Ecosystem: Production**



**Delivery**: Process of transferring the completed aircraft to the customer

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• This phase includes logistics planning, coordinating transportation, and ensuring proper documentation and handover to the customer.

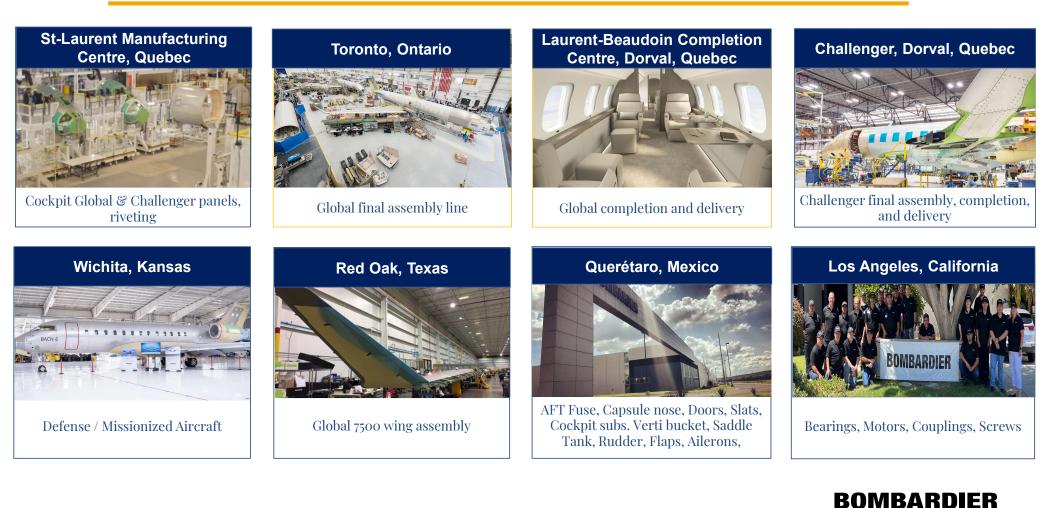
**Completions**: Finalization of the aircraft's interior, including installation of cabin furnishings, seating, in-flight entertainment systems, and other customer-specific features.

• This phase includes customizing the aircraft to meet the customer's preferences and requirements.

**Assembly**: Process of physically integrating various components and systems to build the complete aircraft.

• This phase includes structural assembly, installation of systems, wiring, and integration of avionics and other onboard equipment.

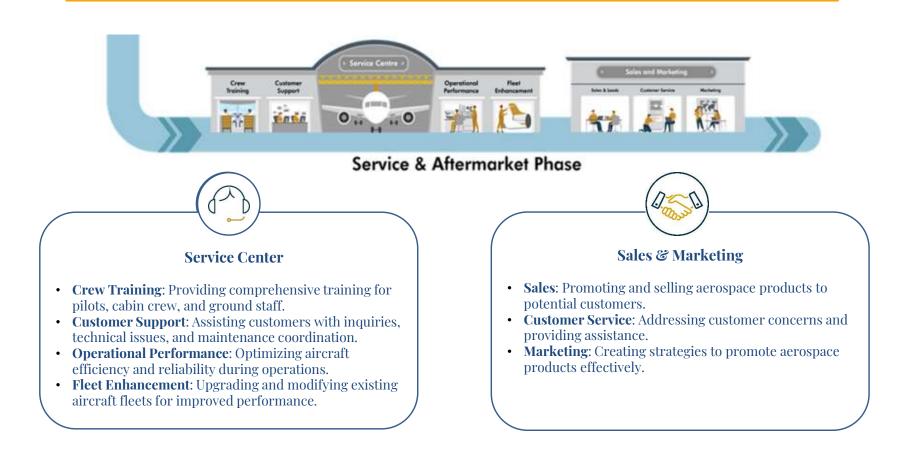
#### **Bombardier Production Sites**



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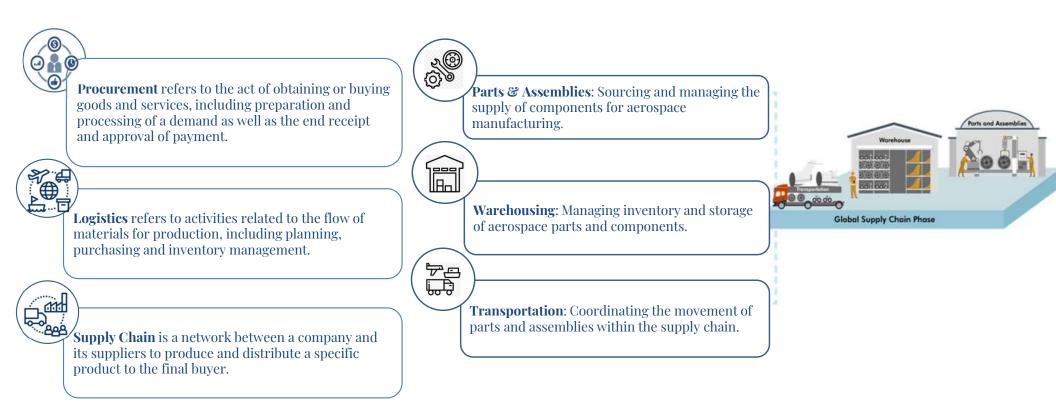
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#### **Aerospace Ecosystem: Service & Aftermarket**

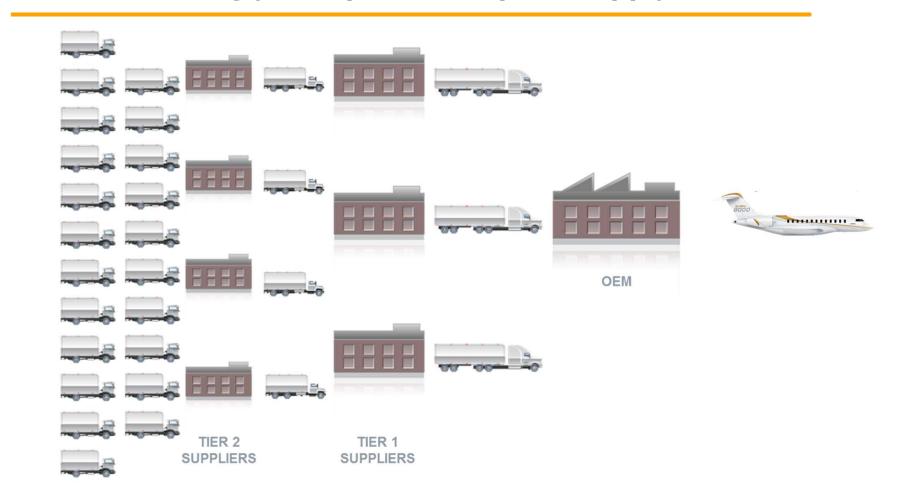




## **Aerospace Ecosystem: Supply Chain**



#### **Increasingly Complex Aerospace Supply Chain**



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#### **Trends Impacting Canadian Aerospace Industry**

## Digital Transformation and Connectivity

Use of advanced data analytics, Internet of Things (IoT), and cloudbased solutions to optimize operations, enhance maintenance, and improve customer experiences



## Advanced Manufacturing & Automation

Adoption of advanced manufacturing technologies as 3D printing and robotics to help streamline production processes, improve efficiency, and reduce costs



#### **Sustainable Aviation**

Focus on developing and adopting greener technologies to reduce carbon emissions and environmental impact



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### **Trends Impacting Canadian Aerospace Industry**



#### Workforce Development

Need for skilled talent through workforce development initiatives such as partnerships between industry, academia, and government to provide training programs, internships, and educational opportunities











Electric Installer

Logistics Agent Avionics Technician

**On-the-Job Training / Opportunities** 

ician Quality Analyst









Methods Agent

Aircraft Assembler Aircraft Mechanic

Data Analyst



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